



DISTRICT 7 – COMMUNITY “COURT WATCH”

QUESTIONS?

Want a case added to the Court Watch Program?
Want more information?
Want to assist the Court Watch Program?

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INSTRUCTIONS: This packet contains criminal cases that your community has chosen to follow through the Milwaukee courts as part of your community's Court Watch Program.

You may *also* follow these cases, or any court case, in the following ways:

(A) **ONLINE:** By searching on www.wcca.wicourts.gov

Get to the homepage (google: "Wisconsin Circuit Court Access")

Agree to the terms and conditions

Search by (a) defendant's name or (b) Case Number (Milwaukee County)

(B) **CLERK OF COURT:** Receive information on a criminal case

By phone: (414) 278-4538

In person: 821 West State Street, Room 117 of the Safety Building, Milwaukee

(C) **DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE:** Receive information on a Criminal case

By phone: (414) 278-5088

In person: 821 West State Street, Room 405 of the Safety Building, Milwaukee

Attend court on the scheduled date and request to speak with the Assistant District Attorney

MISSION: The attached list contains names of people that have been arrested in your community and charged with criminal offenses by the Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office.

The community members of Milwaukee County are the victims of these crimes and have a right to have input into the sentencing of these defendants. By filling out a Community Impact Statement, your voice will be heard by the court and considered in its sentencing decision. Your statement, even if anonymous, is important to the court in making a sentencing decision.

Please fill out a Community Impact Statement and mail it to the Court or give to a Task Force Member *one week prior* to the scheduled sentencing date. You may also attend court on the sentencing date and ask the judge for permission to speak about how the crime has impacted you and/or your community.

Remember, these defendants have only been charged with criminal offenses by the District Attorney's Office and are presumed to be innocent until they are proven guilty of committing a crime beyond a reasonable doubt in a court of law.

2012CF004001

Judge Brostrom

ADA Joy Hammond

Crime location: Hampton/ Fond du Lac Ave.

NEXT DATES: 5/16/13—Status

Facts: Defendants are juveniles involved in a 'crew' that steals cars, primarily minivans, and is prone to violence, including robbery. On the morning in question, the group was out stealing cars. They were in 3 separate stolen vehicles with 13 year old ID driving a stolen Neon eastbound on Hampton Ave. ID went through two red lights at a high rate of speed and struck the victim who was riding his bike to work. The victim died on the scene of massive head injuries. ID pulled around the corner and she and her passenger, juv EG, exited the striking car and entered a stolen van with juveniles RJ, DN and DF. The third car, driven by juv WM had Oliver as a passenger. In their confessions the group admitted to stealing and attempting to steal multiple cars, primarily Dodge vehicles, that evening.

*****UPDATE:** On May 9, 2013, Judge Cimpl denied reverse waiver to juvenile court for the defendant. As a result, the defendant, Illahje Davis James will be tried as an adult.

COMMUNITY IMPACT STATEMENT

PLEASE ADDRESS & MAIL TO:

The Judge, the Community Prosecutor, Court Watch Task Force member, or Block Watch Captain.

Defendant's Name: Illahje Davis James

Case Number: 12CF004001

Judge: Brostrom

Sentencing Date: NA

A **COMMUNITY IMPACT STATEMENT** is presented at sentencing and is your opportunity to discuss the effects this crime has had on you, a member of the community where the crime occurred. This statement will be shared with the Judge, the District Attorney's Office, and the Defendant and his/her Attorney. The following questions are a guide to help you prepare your statement; you may file your own format of a written statement. Please remember that all defendants are innocent until proven guilty, and your statement will not be considered by the Court unless the defendant pleads or is found guilty and the case proceeds to sentencing.

How has this crime impacted you, your family, and/or your neighborhood? _____

Has this crime changed your neighborhood? How? Has your safety been affected? Has this crime caused financial loss? _____

If the Defendant is found guilty or pleads guilty, do you have an opinion as to the conditions of his/her sentence, such as restitution, a no contact order, length of sentence, incarceration or probation, counseling, community service, etc.? _____

Other Information? _____

(Optional) Please identify yourself by: (1) your name/address OR (2) what neighborhood you live in OR (3) what block you live on OR (4) any other connection you have to the neighborhood that was affected by this crime. _____

COMMUNITY IMPACT STATEMENT**PLEASE ADDRESS & MAIL TO:**

The Judge, the Community Prosecutor, Court Watch Task Force member, or Block Watch Captain.

Defendant's Name: Jevon Simmons**Case Number:** 2013CF000588**Judge:** Charles Kahn**Sentencing Date:** N/A

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_____Has this crime changed your neighborhood? How? Has your safety been affected? Has this crime caused financial loss? _____

_____If the Defendant is found guilty or pleads guilty, do you have an opinion as to the conditions of his/her sentence, such as restitution, a no contact order, length of sentence, incarceration or probation, counseling, community service, etc.? _____

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October 4, 2012 at approximately 9:30 a.m. officers responded to an "entry in progress" call in the area of 3316 North 47th Street, City and County of Milwaukee, State of Wisconsin. Later it was determined that the entry was at the single family dwelling located at 3320 North 47th Street. Officers observed three black males walking eastbound in the 4500 block of West Townsend Avenue and all three were wearing dark hooded sweatshirts and dark colored tops. All three of these individuals were walking quickly and were looking in a nervous manner behind them as if watching if they were being followed. Officers conducted a stop of two of the males at which time the third black male fled on foot eastbound. The persons stopped was identified as the defendant, Eric Eskridge and he was wearing a black hooded sweatshirt with a red trim extended at the bottom. Both Eskridge and the other person stopped were breathing heavily as though they had just been running. Eric Eskridge was found in possession of a power cord and a remote just taken in the burglary. The tv set taken was found in a nearby alley.

COMMUNITY IMPACT STATEMENT**PLEASE ADDRESS & MAIL TO:**

The Judge, the Community Prosecutor, Court Watch Task Force member, or Block Watch Captain.

Defendant's Name: Eric Eskridge**Case Number:** 2012CF005370 **Judge:** David Hansher**Sentencing Date:** N/A

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If the Defendant is found guilty or pleads guilty, do you have an opinion as to the conditions of his/her sentence, such as restitution, a no contact order, length of sentence, incarceration or probation, counseling, community service, etc.? _____

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NEXT DATES: May 28, 2013—Rothstein

NEXT DATES: May 29, 2013—Status

NEXT DATES: May 29, 2013—Final Pre-trial

On Thursday, December 27, 2012, at approximately 6:30pm, officers were dispatched to a carjacking at 3853 North 68th Street, City and County of Milwaukee. Upon arrival, officers spoke with the victim, who stated she was sitting in her silver, 2011 GMC Terrain which was parked in front of her garage at the rear of her residence. The victim stated she was on the phone when a subject, later identified as Davarius Norton, knocked on her driver's window with a very small, silver semi-automatic handgun. Norton was wearing all black and had a ski mask covering the lower portion of his face. Norton yelled at her to get out of her vehicle and she complied.

Once outside, Victim observed that there were four more subjects, also wearing black hooded sweatshirts with the hoods tied tightly around their faces. She described them all as younger and shorter than the gunman, Norton. Norton took her Sprint LG cell phone and ordered her away from her truck. All five actors then entered her vehicle and it took off southbound in her alley. Ms. Sherman ran into her house, fearing she would be shot.

COMMUNITY IMPACT STATEMENT**PLEASE ADDRESS & MAIL TO:**

The Judge, the Community Prosecutor, Court Watch Task Force member, or Block Watch Captain.

Defendant's Name: Leonard Bland, Dangelo Jones, Davarious Norton**Case Number:** 2013CF000206, 2013CF000136, 2013CF000137 **Judge:** Stephanie Rothstein**Sentencing Date:** N/A

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Has this crime changed your neighborhood? How? Has your safety been affected? Has this crime caused financial loss? _____

If the Defendant is found guilty or pleads guilty, do you have an opinion as to the conditions of his/her sentence, such as restitution, a no contact order, length of sentence, incarceration or probation, counseling, community service, etc.? _____

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The Defendant admitted to burglarizing several businesses in the district. Doctors found the defendant competent to proceed and the cases have been set for plea and sentencing.

COMMUNITY IMPACT STATEMENT**PLEASE ADDRESS & MAIL TO:**

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Defendant's Name: Giovanni Pendleton**Case Number:** 2013CF1499 et al **Judge:** Michael Goulee**Sentencing Date:** May 21, 2013

A COMMUNITY IMPACT STATEMENT is presented at sentencing and is your opportunity to discuss the effects this crime has had on you, a member of the community where the crime occurred. This statement will be shared with the Judge, the District Attorney's Office, and the Defendant and his/her Attorney. The following questions are a guide to help you prepare your statement; you may file your own format of a written statement. Please remember that all defendants are innocent until proven guilty, and your statement will not be considered by the Court unless the defendant pleads or is found guilty and the case proceeds to sentencing.

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If the Defendant is found guilty or pleads guilty, do you have an opinion as to the conditions of his/her sentence, such as restitution, a no contact order, length of sentence, incarceration or probation, counseling, community service, etc.? _____

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Defendant Jamie Dean Moore in court with attorney Richard E Poulson. Defendant Jamie Dean Moore in custody. Chris Liegel appeared for the State of Wisconsin. Presentence Investigation Report reviewed by Court and Counsels. Additions/corrections made by state and defense. Statements made by: State, Defense, and Defendant. Additional statements by: Lynn M., Claudette R. and Gailynn T. COUNT 1: The Court sentenced the defendant to serve a term of IMPRISONMENT of 6 YEARS, in the Wisconsin State Prisons, consecutive to anything being served, with credit for 0 days time served. CONFINEMENT of 3 YEARS and EXTENDED SUPERVISION of 3 YEARS. COUNT 2: The Court sentenced the defendant to serve a term of IMPRISONMENT of 27 YEARS, in the Wisconsin State Prisons, consecutive to Count 1 and any other sentence, with credit for 0 days time served. CONFINEMENT of 20 YEARS and EXTENDED SUPERVISION of 7 YEARS. COUNT 3: The Court sentenced the defendant to serve a term of IMPRISONMENT of 32 YEARS, in the Wisconsin State Prisons, consecutive to Counts 1 & 2 and any other sentence, with credit for 0 days time served. CONFINEMENT of 23 YEARS and EXTENDED SUPERVISION of 9 YEARS, Conditions of Extended Supervision: -Pay restitution of \$168. To Lynn M. - Court ordered this paid before any other restitution and/or fines, costs, assessments and surcharges. -Pay restitution of \$3,613. to Crime/Victim Compensation Fund. -Pay all costs, assessments and victim/witness surcharges. -Provide a DNA sample if not previously provided and pay all appropriate costs. -Register as a sex offender. -NO contact with victim and/or her daughter under sec. 973.049 Wis. Stats. -The Court ordered that all court costs, fines, surcharges and/or restitution be paid through collection by the Department of Corrections from 25% of prison earning funds under Sec. 973.05(4)(b) and as a condition of extended supervision. Any amount remaining due and owing is subject to civil judgment. The defendant is advised as a convicted felon he may not carry or possess any firearms/body armor. The court advises the defendant that voting privileges are suspended during the length of this sentence. The defendant is given a written explanation of the determinate sentence, and advised of his appeal rights by defense counsel. The defendant is not eligible for the Challenge Incarceration Program. The defendant is not eligible for the Wisconsin Substance Abuse Program. Defendant remanded to report to Dodge.

The Court sentenced the defendant to a MAXIMUM TERM OF IMPRISONMENT of 6 YEARS, with credit for 5 days time served; the INITIAL TERM OF CONFINEMENT in the Wisconsin State Prison System is 3 YEARS; the MAXIMUM TERM OF EXTENDED SUPERVISION is 3 YEARS. The defendant is not eligible for the Challenge Incarceration Program or the Wisconsin Substance Abuse Program. The Court STAYED this sentence and placed the defendant on probation for a period of 3 YEARS with the following conditions: CONDITIONS OF EXTENDED SUPERVISION/PROBATION: 1) Serve 60 DAYS in the House of Correction with release privileges for school; after completion of school year, additional release privileges for community service; GOOD TIME ALLOWED; sentence STAYED until May 12, 2013; 2) Obtain AODA assessment and follow-up treatment; 3) Maintain absolute sobriety with random urine screens - no illegal drugs; 4) Obtain high school diploma; 5) After obtaining high school diploma obtain/maintain full time employment/school or a combination of both; 5) Perform 60 hours of community service, per year, for a non-profit/community organization with at least half of the time at a senior center; 6) Attend Victim Impact Panel; 7) Provide a DNA sample - Pay DNA surcharge; if not paid, convert to a civil judgment; 8) Pay all remaining costs and surcharges; if not paid, convert to a civil judgment; 9) Pay restitution in the amount of \$85 to Jacqueline Z.; joint and several.